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NOTIFICATION

I. The Governor of Sikkim is pleased to declare the days specified in the following Schedule to be observed as Public Holidays in all Government Offices, Public Sector Undertakings and Educational Institutions under the Government of Sikkim during the Calendar year 2018.

THE SCHEDULE

Sl. No.	Occasion	Date(s)	Day(s)	No. of days
1.	New Year's Day	1 st January	Monday	1
2.	Maghe Sankranti	14 th January	Sunday	1
3.	Sonam Lochhar	17 th January	Wednesday	1
4.	Republic Day	26 th January	Friday	1
5.	Losar	16 th February	Friday	1
6.	Holi	2 nd March	Friday	1
7.	Ramnawami (Chaite Dasain)	26 th March	Monday	1
8.	Good Friday	30 th March	Friday	1
9.	Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Jayanti	14 th April	Saturday	1
10.	Sakewa	29 th April	Sunday	1
11.	State Day	16 th May	Wednesday	1
12.	Saga Dawa	29 th May	Tuesday	1
13.	Id Ul Fitr	16 th June	Saturday	1
14.	Bhanu Jyanti	13 th July	Friday	1
15.	Drukpa Tshechi	16 th July	Monday	1
16.	Guru Rimpoche's Thungkar Tshechu	22 nd July	Sunday	1
17.	Tendong Lho Rum Faat	8 th August	Wednesday	1

18.	Independence Day	15 th August	Wednesday	1
19.	Pang-Lhabsol	26 th August	Sunday	1
20.	Janmasthami	3 rd September	Monday	1
21.	Indrajatra	23 rd September	Sunday	1
22.	Gandhi Jayanti	2 nd October	Tuesday	1
23.	Durga Puja (Dasain)	16 th October to 20 th October	Tuesday to Saturday	5
24.	Lhabab Duechen	31 st October	Wednesday	1
25.	Laxmi Puja (Deepawali)	7 th November to 9 th November	Wednesday to Friday	3
26.	Kagyed Dance	6 th December	Thursday	1
27.	Losoong/Namsoong	8 th to 12 th December	Saturday to Wednesday	5
28.	Nyenpa Guzom	13 th December to 14 th December	Thursday & Friday	2
29.	Teyongsi Sirijunga Sawan Tongnam	22 nd December	Saturday	1
30.	Christmas	25 th December	Tuesday	1
31.	Barahimizong	27 th December	Thursday	1
32.	Tamu Lochar	30 th December	Sunday	1
	Total number of days			43 days

II. It is further declared that the following days shall be **RESTRICTED HOLIDAY**, Government employee shall be entitled to avail of only one per year.

Sl. No.	Occasion	Date(s)	Day(s)	No. of days
1.	Labour Day	1 st May	Tuesday	1
2.	Birthday of Late Tenzing Norgay Sherpa	29 th May	Tuesday	1
3.	Birthday of H.H. The Dalai Lama	6 th July	Friday	1
4.	Chhat Puja	13 th November	Tuesday	1

By Order and in the name of the Governor.

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